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OPERATING A COMMUNICATION NETWORK THROUGH USE OF  
BLOCKING MEASURES FOR RESPONDING TO COMMUNICATION TRAFFIC  
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